## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

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IN RE: YASMIN AND YAZ (DROSPIRENONE)	)	3:09-md-02100-DRH-PMF
MARKETING, SALES PRACTICES AND PRODUCTS	)	
LIABILITY LITIGATION	)	MDL No. 2100
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## NOTICE OF INTENT TO OPT OUT FORM

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

ALL MDL PLAINTIFFS WITH PERSONAL INJURY CLAIMS ALLEGING GALLBLADDER DISEASE AND/OR GALLBLADDER INJURIES, EITHER ALONE OR IN COMBINATION WITH ANOTHER INJURY, FILED AND SERVED ON OR BEFORE MARCH 25, 2013 ARE AUTOMATICALLY ENROLLED IN THE MDL GALLBLADDER RESOLUTION PROGRAM (the "Program") UNLESS: (1) THE CASE ALLEGES A GALLBLADDER INJURY AND A VENOUS THROMBOEMBOLISM (INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, DEEP VEIN THROMBOSIS OR PULMONARY EMBOLISM) OR ARTERIAL THROMBOEMBOLISM (INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, HEART ATTACK OR ARTERIAL THROMBOEMBOLICSTROKE) INJURY, PENDING IN MDL DOCKET NO. 2100; OR (2) THE PLAINTIFF SUBMITS THIS FORM OPTING OUT OF THE PROGRAM.

IF YOU DO NOT WISH TO PARTICIPATE IN THE GALLBLADDER RESOLUTION PROGRAM, YOU MUST SUBMIT THIS FORM ON OR BEFORE 11:59 p.m. CT ON APRIL 29, 2013 (UNLESS EXTENDED TO A LATER DATE PURSUANT TO THE TERMS OF THE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT) AS FOLLOWS:

You must submit this Opt-Out Form using one of the following methods on or before 11:59 p.m. CT. on April 29, 2013 (unless extended to a later date). Choose only one method for submission.

- 1. Online: Go to <a href="www.yazofficialsettlement.com">www.yazofficialsettlement.com</a>, which is the official website of the Claims Administrator, and follow the instructions provided there. The date of submission will be the date the form is provided online; OR
- 2. By Email: Email it to each of the following. The date of submission will be the date of your email;
  - (a) The Claims Administrator at OptInOptOutNotice@yazofficialsettlement.com;
  - (b) BHCP's Counsel at OptInOptOutNotice@shb.com; and
  - (c) NPC at YazGBClaimNotice@uselaws.com;OR
- **3.** By United States Mail or Other Carrier: Send it to each of the following, return receipt requested. The date of submission will be the postmarked date or the date you place this form in the hands of another carrier. If there is no postmark or date present, the Claims Administrator will use the date it receives the form as the applicable date:

<b>Claims Administrator</b> :	<b>BHCP's Counsel</b> :	NPC:
Yaz Settlement Claims Administrator	Jeff Fields	Roger C. Denton
BrownGreer PLC	Shook, Hardy & Bacon L.L.P.	Schlichter, Bogard& Denton, LLP
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By timely submitting this form, you acknowledge and agree that you will not be entitled to seek an award under the Gallbladder Resolution Program. Failure to timely submit this form means that you will automatically be enrolled in the Program(unless your case alleges a gallbladder injury and a venous thromboembolism or arterial thromboembolism injury), although you will not be eligible for an award unless you also timely submit a completed Claim Package pursuant to the Program. By checking the box below and executing this form, you acknowledge that you have been fully advised of your rights under the Settlement Agreement and elect to opt out of the Program.

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CLAIMANT INFORMATION (YazProduct User)										
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PLAINTIFF'S SIGNATURE IMPORTANT: The Plaintiff must personally sign. Attorneys may not sign on the Plaintiff's behalf.										
Signature				Date	,			/month) (day)	(year)	
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